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SUBJECT: WEIZMAN-GAMASY CONTACTS

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1. VP MUBARAK TELEPHONED ON SECURE LINE 2000 THIS EVENING. HE WANTED TO KNOW IF I HAD HEARD BEGIN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT DAYAN IS BEING SENT TO WASHINGTON AND WEIZMAN TO CAIRO. WHEN I SAID I HAD NOT HEARD IT, MUBARAK INDICATED BEGIN ANNOUNCEMENT HAD BEEN BROADCAST FROM JERUSALEM SHORTLY BEFORE.

2. MUBARAK THEN SAID SADAT WANTS PRESIDENT CARTER TO KNOW THAT GAMASY HAD YESTERDAY RECEIVED A NEW MESSAGE FROM WEIZMAN (REFTEL). GAMASY HAD REPORTED IT TO THE VP FOR SADAT THIS MORNING. WEIZMAN'S MESSAGE HAD INDICATED THAT HE WISHED DISCREETLY TO COME TO CAIRO TO DISCUSS PEACE PROCESS. SADAT HAD INSTRUCTED HIM INFORM GAMASY TO SEND A REPLY THAT WEIZMAN IS WELCOME IN CAIRO AT 1130 THURSDAY, MARCH 30. A MEETING WITH SADAT IS SCHEDULED FOR 1200 THAT SAME DAY. MUBARAK WAS IN THE PROCESS OF INSTRUCTING GAMASY TO SEND THIS REPLY WHEN BEGIN'S PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

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WAS HEARD. MUBARAK INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT DECISION TO RECEIVE WEIZMAN ON THURSDAY WILL STAND. GOE, HE SAID, DOES NOT INTEND PUBLICLY TO ANNOUNCE THE VISIT.

3. SADAT WANTS PRESIDENT CARTER TO KNOW THAT HE WILL SEND A COMPREHENSIVE REPORT OF THE TALKS WITH WEIZMAN IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEY HAVE BEEN CONCLUDED.

4. COMMENT: APPARENTLY GAMASY'S RECOMMENDATION MENTIONED
REFTEL WAS NOT ACCEPTED AND SADAT HAD DECIDED EVEN BEFORE
BEGIN ANNOUNCEMENT TO RECEIVE WEIZMAN NEXT FEW DAYS.EILTS

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